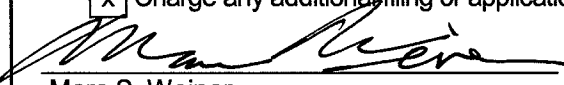


<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>			Docket No. 3273-0226PUS1		
Application No. 10/582,000 - Conf. #9234	Filing Date June 07, 2006	Examiner HEINCER, LIAM J.	Art Unit 1767		
Applicant(s): Shinichi INOUE et al.					
Invention: RUBBER-LIKE ARTICLES AND RUBBER-LIKE MATERIAL-CONTAINING ARTICLES					
<p><b>Commissioner for Patents</b>  <b>P.O. Box 1450</b>  <b>Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</b></p> <p>Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.  The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.</p>					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for this amendment.					
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